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Statement Regarding

Supplement to the Memorandum of Understanding on a Cooperative Program for a Medium Multiple Launch Rocket System dated July 14, 1979 - Italian Participation as an Associate Member

Signed by Germany July 26, 1982, the United Kingdom July 23, 1982, France July 28, 1982, the United States July 19, 1982 and Italy on July 29, 1982.

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RELEASE IN FULL

The Governments of the United States, Germany, United Kingdom, France accepted the participation of the Government of the Republic of Italy as an Associate Member in the Medium Multiple Launch Rocket System (MLRS) Program under the terms and conditions contained in this Supplement. The purpose of this Supplement is to define the provisions for Italy's participation in Phase 1 and Phase 2 projects.

Legal Authority

The President's Constitutional authority as Chief Executive to conduct the foreign relations of the United States, as well as his authority as Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces, (Article II, Sections 1 and 2); and Section 27 of the Arms Export control Act (22 USC 2767).